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PETITION FOR REVIVAL OF PATENT APPLICATION UNINTENTIONALLY ABANDONED UNDER 37 CFR 1.137(B)

Mail Stop Petition

June 23, 2005

Commissioner for Patents

PO Box 1450

Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

This Petition is in response to a Notice of Abandonment dated 5/20/2005, which stated that the above identified patent application was abandoned for applicant's failure to timely file a reply to an action by the US Patent Office dated 11/15/2004.

Applicant hereby petitions under 37 CFR 1.137(b) for revival of this application.

- 1. PETITION FEE: Applicant hereby authorizes the Commissioner to charge the fee of \$1500.00 required under 37 CFR 1.17(m) to Deposit Account Number 04-0525.
 - 2. REPLY: A reply including an RCE and Amendment is enclosed herewith.
 - 3. TERMINAL DISCLAIMER: No terminal disclaimer is required.
- 4. STATEMENT: The entire delay in filing the required reply from the due date for the required reply until the filing of the grantable petition under 37 CFR 1.137(b) was unintentional.

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Any other fees or charges due as a result of filing of the present paper may be charged against Deposit Account 04-0525. A duplicate of this page is enclosed.

Respectfully,

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